

State of South Dakota



SIGURD ANDERSON
GOVERNOR

PIERRE

P R O C L A M A T I O N

WHEREAS, the Congress of the United States has recognized the third Sunday of May of each year as "I Am An American Day", with the purpose of special recognition for those who have become citizens within the year through naturalization or attainment of their majority; and

WHEREAS, the President of the United States has heretofore proclaimed May 20, 1951 as "I Am An American Day"; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting that we give thought to our responsibilities and opportunities as American citizens, and that we reaffirm our faith in the principles and ideals to which this Nation is dedicated.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Sigurd Anderson, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim May 20, 1951, as

I AM AN AMERICAN DAY

in South Dakota, and do urge all patriotic organizations and the people generally to cooperate in programs on that day to recognize those who have newly assumed the responsibilities of American citizenship and to cause us all to evaluate anew and appreciate more than ever before the privilege of being American citizens.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota to be affixed this 1st day of May, 1951.

Sigurd Anderson
Governor

ATTEST:

Geraldine Ostroot
Secretary of State

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